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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 02860.0683

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Kunio Shimizu et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1772
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Application No.: 09/900,961)	Examiner: Sow-Fun Hon
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Filed: July 10, 2001)	Confirmation No. 7969
)	
For: CELLULOSE ESTER FILM,)	
CELLULOSE ESTER DOPE,)	
PROTECTIVE FILM OF)	
POLARIZING PLATE AND)	
POLARIZING PLATE)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2004, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.